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MWR Yokosuka

Valentine's Super Bingo

Grand Prize \$60,000

(49 numbers or less)
(\$40,000 consolation prize)

February 15 @ Thew Gym

Now with extra games worth \$10,000, \$5,000, \$4,000, \$3,000 and many other prizes. Early bird special worth an extra \$3,000 (\$5 to play).

Doors open at 1000, early bird games start at 1200 and the first game starts at 1300. Advance tickets are \$90 (\$110 at door), advance tickets good for one Bingo package. Additional packages may be purchased for \$55. Tickets are on sale at the following locations; All Yokosuka MWR Clubs, Club Takemiya in Ikego, Negishi Club, Yokosuka Bowling Alley and Atsugi's Club Trilogy.

Want a GREAT summer job? Be a Lifeguard with MWR!

Every Saturday from February 28 thru March 27 and April 5 - 9 (during Spring Break!)

The cost of the sessions is just \$100 and is fully refundable if you come to work for MWR this summer! You will be fully certified in American Red Cross Lifesaving and your credentials can be used anywhere in the US and all US Military bases worldwide. You must be 15 years of age and meet minimum swimming skills test. For more information please contact Carol Poole at 243-6410.

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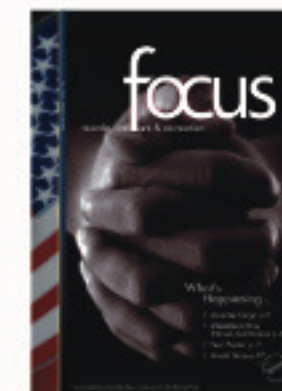
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It's a battle of gastronomically epic proportions!

Fear Factor Food Wars

February 28 from 1300 to 1500
See our ad on page 11.

Officers' Club

Kosano Dining Room

Sundays	Ala Carte at 20% off regular price
Mondays	Ala Carte at 20% off regular price
Tuesdays	
February 3 & 17	Shrimp Tempura Special \$10.95 and Ala Carte Menu
February 10 & 24	Mongolian BBQ \$0.55oz
Wednesdays	Chicken & Rib Special (\$9.95) and Ala Carte
Thursdays	2-for-1 Steak Night and Ala Carte
Fridays	Ala Carte
Saturdays	Prime Rib Buffet Adults \$13.95 Child 5 to 11 \$6.95



Sunday Brunch

From 0900 to 1330

Enjoy one of Yokosuka's best brunches with exciting new items every Sunday:

- Belgian Waffle Station
- Fresh Pasta Station
- Omelet Station
- Fresh Made Crepe Station
- Bountiful Salad Bar
- Juice and Fruit
- Ice Cream and Dessert
- Champagne
- and lots more!

Adults \$11.95 Children (4 to 11) \$5.95

Due to the popularity of the Brunch, it's recommended you make reservations to avoid delays in seating.

Special Events

Seafood Buffet

February 27 (last Friday of each month)

Don't miss our ever popular seafood buffet complete with Alaskan King Crab, shrimp, scallops, carved roast kalua pig, huge salad bar, and lots of desserts. Please make reservations in advance.

Celebrate Black History Month

February is Black History Month, come by and enjoy southern style lunches every Thursday during the month of February.

Special Valentine's Gourmet Night

February 14

Our Executive Chef will prepare a six-course gourmet dinner that will certainly be a delight! Seating will be in groups of four, six or eight. The cost includes live entertainment, wine and champagne. Tickets are now on sale in the Main Cash Cage. Also, a special Ballroom Dancing competition will be featured with contestants from our own Yokosuka community.

\$35.00 per person

CPO Club

Lunch

Monday through Friday from 1100 to 1330

Enjoy a sumptuous lunch buffet with a large variety of offerings including our Filipino special.

\$6.00

Dinner

Monday: Italian Night

Tuesday: Wine and Prime

Wednesday: Mongolian BBQ

Thursday: Chinese Night

Friday: Seafood Night

Saturday: Size it up Steak Night

Sunday: Beef and Burgundy Night

Saturday Ala Carte Brunch

From 1000 to 1330

Waffles, omelets and other great breakfast items available.

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Sunday Brunch

Join us for our elaborate Champagne brunch, featuring a choice of excellent entrées. An upscale menu, with made to order omelets, eggs benedict, French toast, pancakes, waffles and more.

\$9.95



Valentine's Day

February 14

Join us for a steak and lobster dinner with soup, salad, dessert and house wine!

\$19.95 per person

President's Day Special

February 16

In recognition of President's Day we are offering a 2 for 1 on our Italian Night buffet. Two people eat for the price of one!

Seaside



February is Black History Month

In celebration, Seaside Club would like to prepare a special dinner buffet on February 20. In addition, we will have Motown music for your listening enjoyment.

Adults \$9.95, Children (11 and under) \$5.95

Family Night Out

February 6

Take your family out for dinner at the Harbor View Dining Room and get a 10% discount on your entire bill. Free Balloons for all children 11 and under. Family Night discount may not be combined with any other discounts and or special offers.

Pre-Valentines Day Dinner Special

February 13 from 1700 to 2100

Have an enjoyable dinner with your sweetheart at the Harbor View Dining Room. Dinner for two includes two tender rib eye steaks grilled to order, a trip to our salad bar and our dessert of the day.

\$14.95

President's Day Special

February 16

Enjoy lunch or dinner in the Harbor View Dining Room and receive complimentary coffee and our dessert of the day.

Daily Philippine Special

Monday Chicken and Pork Adobo

Tuesday Paksiw Na Lechon

Wednesday Sinampalukang Manok

Thursday Sinigang Na ribs

Friday Tortang Talong and Fried Fish

*Philippine Special is not available on weekends and holidays

Wednesdays are International Nights

Visit the Harbor View Dining Room and try a variety of foods from cultures around the globe.

February 4 Filipino Night

February 11 Southern Night

February 18 Soul Food Night

February 25 Korean Night

Mongolian Nights

Every Monday and Saturday

Choose from our selection of meats (chicken, spicy chicken, thin sliced pork or beef), fresh vegetables and assorted cooking sauces, served with Mongolian soup and steamed rice.

Make your own bowl for 55¢ per oz.

Barnacle Bill's Lounge Events

Ladies Night Out

February 20

Enjoy our live entertainment for the night with your friends. From 1800 - 1900 all ladies will receive free non-alcoholic beverages. The first 20 ladies will also receive a complimentary long stem red rose.

Friday Night Break Away

Every Friday starting at 1600

Unwind after a long week of hard work in a relaxing atmosphere with your friends while you enjoy our 60" wide screen TV's and DJ's tunes. Free appetizers will be available.

Karaoke Sundays Featuring DJ Dave

If you can sing, or just think you can, stop by and join in on the fun! Sign-ups begin at 1800.

If you drink, please be responsible. Have the COA on duty call a cab for you or use the designated driver program.

Seaside Deli's Home Meal Deals

From 1100 to 1400 and 1700 to 2000. Only \$5.50 every day!



Monday

Chicken and Pork Adobo, Steamed Rice, Veggies of the Day, Dinner Roll, Dessert and a Medium Soda

Tuesday

Salisbury Steak, Steamed Rice, Mashed Potatoes, Side Salad, Dessert and a Medium Soda

Wednesday

Barbeque Spareribs, Steamed Rice, Corn on the Cob, Dinner Roll, Dessert and a Medium Soda

Thursday

Lasagna, Garlic Bread, Side Salad, Dinner Roll, Dessert and a Medium Soda

Friday

Fried Chicken, Steamed Rice, Veggies of the Day, Dinner Roll, Dessert and a Medium Soda

Negishi Club

Every Sunday

Sunday Brunch from 0900 to 1400
Adults \$7.95 Children \$4.00

Every Tuesday

Mongolian BBQ starting at 1700

Guess the price of your Mongolian within 5¢ either way and receive your meal free. Come out and join us for good food and live entertainment.

Every Saturday

Prime Rib Night

A favorite with all the Patrons

Negishi All Hands Club & Negishi MWR present:

Valentine's Day Romance Dinner & Dance

February 14 from 1800 to 2100
\$45.00 per couple

Join us for a very special enchanting evening, delectable dinner and delightful dancing. Treat your Someone Special to an exceptional event. Tickets will be available at the Cashier's Cage beginning February 1.



- Chateaubriand for two
- Twice Baked Potato
- French Green Beans
- Fresh Tossed Green Salad
- Lemon Cream Cake
- Red Roses & a Box of Chocolates

Plus Yokohama singing sensation Carol Yamazaki will perform from 1800 to 2000

Starting some time after January 20, we will be doing renovations to the club. As a result, food specials, entertainment and hours may change. We regret any inconvenience this may cause.

Club Takemiya

Lunch/Dinner Special

Monday	Marinated Pork Chops / Family Night Buffet Adults \$8.95, Kids 11 & under \$4.95
Tuesday	Grilled Chicken Burger / BBQ Spare Ribs
Wednesday	Fried Catfish / Steak Night \$1.00 Off All Steaks
Thursday	Beef Bowl / Asian Food Night
Friday	Pasta Pepperoni / Seafood Neapolitan
Saturday	Fried Chicken / Prime Rib Night
Sunday	Brunch (1030 to 1330) \$8.95 Adults, \$4.95 Kids 11 & under Mongolian BBQ (1700 to 2100) \$8.80 per pound (limited menu only)

Soup of the Day

Monday	Chicken Noodle
Tuesday	Mandarin
Wednesday	Beef Minestrone
Thursday	Chinese
Friday	Clam Chowder
Saturday	Beef & Tomato

Family Night Buffet Themes

February 2	Thai Cuisine
February 9	Spanish Cuisine
February 16	German Cuisine
February 23	Italian Cuisine

Asian Food Night Menu

February 5	Chicken Apritada
February 12	Fish Tatsuta
February 19	Sweet & Sour Pork
February 26	Singapore Spicy Chicken

*All specials & soups are subject to change without notice

Entertainment / Events

Superbowl Party

February 2
starting at 0600

It's that time again. Watch the big game on a big screen TV. We'll have a Breakfast Buffet (\$3.95 per person), free football trivia and a free raffle, all with prize giveaways.

Yokosuka Jazz Band

February 7 & 21 from 1700 to 2100

Listen to the smooth sounds of live jazz in the Club Takemiya dining room, while you eat.

Valentine's Day

February 14

All ladies will receive a free rose and will be entered into a drawing for a special prize (eat-in customers only).

Soul Train Soul Food Night

February 28

In celebration of Black History Month, we will have a Soul Food Buffet with all your favorites: cornbread, collard greens, fried chicken, stuffed pork chops, red beans & rice and more. \$11.95 Adults and \$5.95 kids 11 & under. After you've filled up on all that delicious food, dance the night away at our Soul Train XXIX Party, where our DJ will be playing all your favorite Soul Train Jams from the 70's & 80's.

8-Ball Tournament

February 6 & 20

Prizes awarded to 1st, 2nd & 3rd place winners

9-Ball Tournament

February 14 & 28

Prizes awarded to 1st, 2nd & 3rd place winners

Monday

Club Alliance

Upper Deck Sports Bar: 9-Ball at 1930

Tuesday

Club Alliance

1st Floor: Karaoke with Angie & Dave

Friday

Club Takemiya

Happy Hour: From 1700 to 1900. Unwind and socialize after a hard weeks work, in a relaxing atmosphere with your friends. Free finger food is always available.

Friday Night Therapy: From 2100 to 0200. Featuring our best DJ's playing your favorite jams.

Club Alliance

Lighthouse: Live Music with DJ Masa from 2200 to 0200

Upper Deck Sports Bar: Live music with DJ Chie from 2100 to 0100

1st Floor: Live bands or specialty shows from 2000 to 2400

Club Alliance

Country Night: Enjoy all your favorite country music tunes every Thursday night.

Brotherhood Valentine's Concert February 14 at 1930, Sharky's Microbrewery

Open to all hands

Celebrate this special night with us. Bring a date or just your friends. Our special brew and heavy hors d'oeuvres will be available.

Tickets available at Club Alliance Cash Cages for \$5.00.



Wednesday

Club Alliance

Upper Deck Sports Bar: 8-Ball at 1930

1st Floor: Reggae Music with DJ Earle from 2000 to 2400

Attitude Adjustment Nights: Taco Night from 1700 to 1900

Thursday

Club Takemiya

Karaoke Night: From 1900 to 2300

Club Alliance

Lighthouse: Music with DJ City from 2000 to 2400

Latin Night: DJ Martha from 2000 to 2400

CPO Club

Country Night: Enjoy all your favorite Country Music tunes in the Cove Bar.

Saturday

Club Takemiya

Saturday Night Jams! Featuring our best DJ's playing from 2100 to 0100

Club Alliance

Lighthouse: Dance Music with DJ Chie from 2100 to 0200

1st Floor: Dance Music with DJ Masa from 2200 to 0200

CPO Club

Karaoke Night: In the Cove Bar beginning at 2100. Check out our new Karaoke System. Bring your friends and have lots of fun.

Sunday

Club Alliance

1st Floor: Perfect Strangers Band from 1930 to 2330

Libraries

American Girls Club

The American Girls Club is for mothers and their daughters between the ages of 7 and 12. Each month the club will focus on one of the American Girls characters, which represent a period of American history. Activities and crafts supplement the discussions of the stories found in the book series. The club meets in the library the first Thursday of each month at 1800. Girls may come without their mothers as long as they're at least 10 years old. **There is a sign up sheet for the next meeting located at the circulation desk.**

Naval General Library Program (NGLP)

NGLP announces its purchase of e-content available through Navy Knowledge Online (www.nko.navy.mil). NGLP has purchased Morningstar Library database of stock and mutual fund information; Peterson's Educational Service of sample ASVAB and SAT tests as well as CLEP Study Guides and college and university information; Gale Expanded Academic, a database with over 2000 full text magazines and research journals; Gale's Student Resources Center of full text reference materials; Newsbank's collection of 460 US newspapers and 40 international newspapers; and Netlibrary a collection of 6100 electronic books. Now, why should you care? These materials will help all Sailors in pursuing their educational goals as well as their personal goals. They can be used for recreational purposes as well as educational purposes (keeping up with high school sports teams for example). These resources are not limited to active duty. All active duty, retirees, DoD civilians, NAF employees and their families are authorized to use these resources. As well as being available on Navy Knowledge Online, all of the aforementioned databases are available at the Yokosuka and Negishi MWR Libraries outside of the Navy Knowledge Online portal by using a username and password to access secure Web sites.

Stop by the library and ask for a brochure with usernames and passwords and/or help in accessing these resources.

Database Focus: Peterson's (www.petersons.com/navy)

Each month the library will take an in-depth look at one the aforementioned databases sponsored by the Naval General Library Program. This month we will explore the Peterson's database. Peterson's and the U.S. Navy are proud to introduce your launching point to education and career success. Whether you're heading back to school or into the workforce, Peterson's can help. The database has the following six major components:

1. Online Practice Tests

These tests have been purchased by the Naval General Library Program for your use. There is no cost involved on your part. To access these tests you will be required to enter an activation key code. The activation key code is the Naval Library number of the library on your base. For Yokosuka the Naval Library number is 0107. The code will always be the upper case letters "NL" followed by 4 digits. Please note the "NL" is case sensitive and you must use upper case when entering the code. This component has the following online practice exams:

Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)

The ASVAB, sponsored by the Department of Defense, is a 3-hour, multi-aptitude, multiple-choice exam battery. Your ASVAB results

provide scores for each of the individual ten subjects tested, as well as three academic composite scores: Verbal, Math, and Academic Ability; and two career exploration composite scores.

Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT)

Nowadays, SAT scores can make or break your college application package. And, when you think about it, your scores are the most objective component of your application: Every student is confronted with the same set of questions and given the same amount of time to answer them.

College Level Examination Program (CLEP)

The Program allows people who have acquired knowledge outside the usual educational settings to show that they have learned college-level material so that they can bypass certain college courses. A satisfactory score can earn you from 3 to 12 college credits toward your degree for each CLEP exam you take. There are 2,900 colleges that grant credit and/or advanced standing for CLEP exams. Peterson's offers the following 10 online practice exams: General Exam in English Composition, General Exam in Humanities, General Exam in Mathematics, General Exam in Natural Sciences, General Exam in Social Sciences and History, Subject Exam in College Algebra, Subject Exam in American History I, Subject Exam in American History II, Subject Exam in Principles of Management and Subject Exam in American Government.

2. Online Books

Choose from a variety of Peterson's most popular and effective preparation guides, fully designed to help you reach your educational goals. Whether you're preparing for college or grad school, or a new career in the military, civil service, or private industry, you need the best test-prep resources available to help you realize your goals. You have complete access to each book in its entirety.

3. Educational Searches

From college to professional school, online learning programs to those only offered in a traditional classroom setting, Peterson's offers the most comprehensive and accurate educational databases available.

4. Career Info

It pays to plan ahead—especially when it comes to your career. Learn how to shape your career path and make smart decisions that can get you the job you want.

5. Articles

Read unique and valuable perspectives on college, grad school, testing, career planning, and more.

6. Navy Related Links

Check out additional resources and make sure you still have all of the information you need to succeed with links to the Navy College Program, Chief of Naval Education, Navy E-Learning Site, and many other great sites.

Library Closure

February 16

The library will be closed in observance of President's Day.

Youth Programs

Youth Sports

Basketball Season and Indoor Cheerleading are going on now. Please come out and watch the games at the Thew Gym, Kinnick High School and Negishi Gym every Saturday morning.

Baseball Season Registration

February 1 – 29

Smart start program for 3-4 year olds. League play for 5-15 year olds. 5-8 year old co-ed t-ball and coach pitch play. Girls 9 and up play in softball leagues. Please register at your local Youth Sports Office.

First child is \$35, second child is \$25 and the third is \$15.

Baseball Coaches Needed

Coach's Clinic March 30

Anyone interested in having some fun and teaching kids a little baseball, please contact your local Youth Sports Office.

Gymnastics

Gymnastics classes are available at Yokosuka and Ikego. Anyone interested may inquire at Thew Gym (243-5398) or the Ikego Sports Office (246-8017) for more details.

For more information about Youth Sports, please contact:

Ikego: Mike Murphy or Yahya Abdul-Qadir at 246-8017

Negishi: Robert Santana at 242-4120

Yokosuka: Charina Dela Cruz at 241-2952

Open Recreation Programs (ORP) K - 6

Hawaiian Dance Party

February 14 from 1800 to 2200

Looking for an opportunity to go out and have a romantic night on the town with your sweetheart? The ORP staff is celebrating Valentine's Day – Hawaiian style. Drop your children off for an evening of Hawaiian dance lessons, Hawaiian style food, Ukulele playing, hula hooping, limbo, and more. Make sure they come in their best tropical dress.

\$5.00

Movie & Pizza Night

February 21 from 1700 to 2200

Looking for a night out on the town? Drop your child off with the ORP staff at the Ikego Youth Center for an evening of fun & games. They will have the opportunity to enjoy a variety of board games, sing karaoke, try their hands at various arts & craft activities, and of course, eat pizza and watch a movie.

\$5.00

Sweetheart Ball

February 13 from 1800 to 2000

The ORP staff is hosting a sweetheart ball at the Ikego Youth Center for children and their parents to come and enjoy the evening with food, games, and music in a relaxing and fun environment. Casual attire is preferred.

\$5.00

Teen Programs Grades 7-12

Be sure to stop by any of your local teen centers and pick up a copy of our new Winter/Spring Schedule of Events. It's packed full of exciting new adventures!

Teen Centers Grades 7-12

Any of the three local teen centers are open for all eligible teens to come enjoy the latest video games, air hockey tables, pool tables, movies, music, special events, and more.

Ikego

Ping Pong Tournament

February 9

Come show us your skills in our ping-pong tournament.

Free



Birthday Celebrations

February 13

Celebrate all the birthdays in the month of February. We'll have food, cake, and of course, ice cream.

\$2.00

Valentine's Dance

February 14 from 1800 to 2100

Come celebrate Valentine's Day with us at the Teen Center.

\$2.00

Negishi

Come check out your brand new teen center! We've got a new pool table, air hockey table, Playstation, X-box, computers, plasma screen television, CD jukebox, club lighting, and more! We're located by the skate park at the top of Cardiac Hill.

Yokosuka

Valentine's Card Exchange

February 9 – 13 from 1500 to 1700

Make your Valentine's Day complete with a Valentine's Card Exchange. Throughout the week we'll make cards and boxes, then have a card exchange on Friday.

Free

Monopoly Tournament

February 21 at 1300

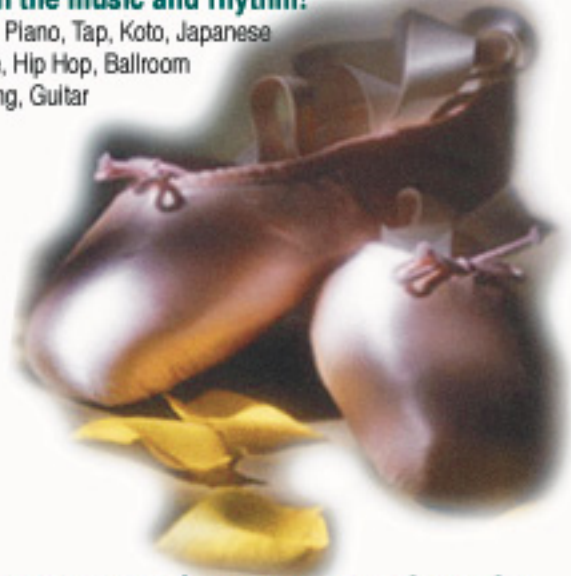
Come test your business skills as you make friends and enemies. Snacks will be provided, plus a little something extra for anyone who comes dressed as your favorite Monopoly piece.

Free

Yokosuka Community Activities

Catch the music and rhythm!

Ballet, Piano, Tap, Koto, Japanese Dance, Hip Hop, Ballroom Dancing, Guitar



Ballroom Dancing Competition Now Going On!

For details call 241-4110.

For more information, stop by the Community Center and pick up a copy of our monthly class schedule.

Negishi Community Events & Skills Classes

Karate

Monday & Friday from 1700 to 1800
Tuesday from 1800 to 1930 & 1930 to 2100
Thursday (Adult) from 1930 to 2100

Piano

Tuesday – Friday from 1400 to 1900

Ballet

Wednesday from 1600 to 1815

Street Dance

Thursday from 1500 to 1545 (Adult) & 1600 to 1700 (Basic)

Hip Hop

Tuesday from 1630 to 1730

Japanese Language

Beginner: Tuesday from 1000-1100 & Thursday from 1800-1900
Intermediate: Tuesdays from 1100 to 1200

Ikebana

Friday from 1030 to 1200 & 1430 to 1600

Visit or call the Negishi MWR Program Office (242-4120) to register for classes.

I Cannot Tell a Lie 5K Run/Walk

February 21 at 0830

Guess your time (and don't lie) then run or walk through the Negishi Community. The one closest to their time wins. Start point will be in front of Negishi All Hands Club.

Upcoming Events

St. Patrick's Day 5K Run/Walk

March 13

Take some luck of the Irish on your 5K Run/Walk through the Negishi Community.

First Annual Arts & Craft Festival

March 13 from 1300 to 1700

First Annual Black History Month Celebration

February 21 from 1900 to 2100

Celebrate Black History Month with Negishi MWR in the Community Center Theater. Join us for a photo slide presentation of African American Heritage, musical selections performed by a guest choir, light refreshments and more. Attire is casual.

Free

Ikego Community Activities Events & Skills Classes

Ballet

Wednesdays from 1530 to 1630 & 1800 to 1930

Toddler Ballet

Tuesdays from 1430 to 1515 & 1530 to 1615

Kumon

Wednesdays from 1600 to 2000

Saturdays from 0800 to 1200

Fridays from 1530 to 1900



Piano Lessons

Wednesdays from 1430 to 1630

Fridays from 1300 to 1930

Thursdays from 1300 to 1930

Saturdays from 1000 to 1530

Gymnastics

Ages 12 – 36 months old (parent participation is required) from 1015 to 1100

3 – 4 years old from 1115 to 1200

5 – 6 years old from 1415 to 1515

7 – 8 years old from 1520 to 1620

9 years old and up from 1630 to 1730

Guitar and Violin

Mondays from 1300 to 2000, Tuesdays from 1300 to 2000

Interested in learning the saxophone?

Please call 246-8071 for details.

President's Day Fun Run

February 21 from 0900

We will meet in Club Takemiya parking lot for our monthly 5K run. Sign up no later than February 13 at the MWR Community Activities Office.

Fear Factor (Food Wars)

February 28 from 1300 to 1500

Do you remember being told to eat everything on your plate as a kid? Did you hate it? Here's a chance to revisit childhood memories as we offer up some twisted culinary offerings. As with the tv show, contestants will be challenged to consume a mystery dish or two in the shortest amount of time. Prizes will be awarded to the top finishers. Bring a strong stomach and a poor sense of smell! **Sign-up by February 18.**



Hobby Mart

The Hobby Mart is a craft store that has a variety of products for all your artistic needs. Available products range from Washi Paper, rubber stamps, acrylic paints, models, cross stitchery items, flowers, beads, RC cars and parts, fabric materials, an assortment of tea boxes and many more neat items.

Special Bargain

50% off on all train sets accessories, leather goods, iron-on transfers, frames and more.

Tea Box Covering

February 7 from 1330 to 1530

Learn how to cover the traditional Japanese tea box with fabric. The class will cover special preparations needed to cover a tea box using a valentine theme and the specific materials needed.

Free

Fabric Balls

February 14 from 1330 to 1530

While in Japan why not learn to make something distinctly Japanese? Come and see a demonstration on the making of wooden balls covered with fabric, it is a great gift for family or friends.

Free

Constellation Viewer

February 28 from 1330 to 1530

Learn how to create this wonderful constellation viewer from simple household items. You can create different constellations on the ceiling of your room. Come out and join us!

Free

Auto Hobby Shop

Oil Change Clinic

February 7 from 1000 to 1030

The Auto Hobby Shop will be conducting an oil change clinic for spouses and students with driver licenses. Following the oil change clinic there will be free shop usage for anyone completing the class from 1030 to 2200 on the same day. Participants must bring their own oil and oil filter, which can be purchased at the Navy Exchange Auto Port.

Valentine's Day Special

February 14

We will offer free usage for any couple that comes in to the shop. So grab your special someone and come on down.

The Auto Hobby Shop now has a Junking and Towing service, call 243-5456 for details.

Wood Hobby Shop

Classic Coffee Table

February 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 23, 25 & 27

This month the Wood Hobby Shop will be building a classic coffee table with an optional table-lift. This table is an intermediate project for first-time users and should be a good way to build your skills, while providing you with an excellent coffee table. This is one project you should not miss! Must have a minimum of ten students to hold class.

Class fee is \$30 (includes 30 days free shop usage). Project cost is between \$50 and \$250, depending on wood type and optional table-lift.

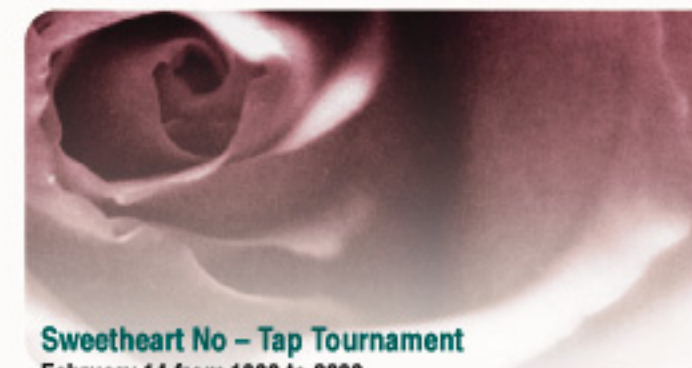
Lathe-Turning

February 20

The Wood Hobby Shop will conduct a lathe turning class for all first time lathe turners. This is a one-day class and will give the basics on how to use the lathe and all the associated tools. Must have a minimum of ten students to conduct this class.

\$20.00, includes class fee and materials

Bowling Center



Sweetheart No – Tap Tournament

February 14 from 1800 to 2000

Spend Valentine's Day with your significant other battling couples in this "couples only" no-tap tournament. Great prizes and great fun! Contact the Bowling Center to register or for more information.

\$15.00 per couple

ITT

February Tours

February 1

Chinese New Year at Yokohama China Town
\$10A/\$5C
Takasaki Kannon, Usaburo Kokeshi Doll Factory
and Shinto Winery
\$30A/\$15C

February 7

Fuji Area Winter Sightseeing
\$24A/\$12C
Noritake China Factory, China
Pete's & Camp Zama Shopping
\$16A/\$8C

February 8

Yunessun Hot Spring and Hakone-en Aquarium
\$50A/\$25C

February 14

Valentine's Day Special Kirin Yokohama Beer Factory and
Yokohama Bay Royal Wing Dinner Cruise
\$70A/\$35C

February 14 - 15

Universal Studios Japan and Kaiyukan Aquarium (Overnight)
Sgl \$245A, Twn \$230A/\$205J/\$180C, Tri \$215A/\$190J/\$160C

February 15

Sledding and Skating at Nihonland Amusement Park
\$45A/\$30C

February 16

Tokyo DisneySea/Disneyland Amusement Parks
\$10A/\$5C (transportation only)

February 21

Tokamachi Snow Festival in Niigata
\$36A/\$18C

February 22

Tokyo Sightseeing
\$27A/\$23J/\$13C
Sankel-en Garden, China Town
and Kanagawa Prefectural History Museum
\$18A/\$12J/\$6C

February 28

Yunessun Hot spring and Hakone-Zaiku Marquetry Making
\$50A/\$30C
Soba Making and Shirayuri Winery
\$36A/\$26C

February 29

Togo Shrine Sale, Harajuku District and Helwajima Antique Fair
\$12A/\$6C

March Tours

March 6

Noritake China Factory, China Pete's and Camp Zama
\$16A/\$8C
Sledding in Snowtown Yeti
\$25A/\$14C
Tokyo DisneySea Amusement Park
\$10A/\$5C (transportation only)

March 7

Hakone Sightseeing with Open-Air Museum
\$35A/\$27C/\$12I
Joren Waterfall and Nanadaru Open-Air
Hot Spring with Seven Waterfalls
\$38A/\$19C

March 13

Tokyo Disneyland Amusement Park
\$10A/\$5C (transportation only)

March 14 - 15

Nagoya Fertility Festival,
Mikimoto Pearl Island
and Nagoya Castle (Overnight)
Sgl \$204A Twn & Tri \$193A (Adults only)

March 14

Yokota Shopping
\$14A/\$7C

March 15

Nagoya Fertility Festival
\$32 Adults only

March 20

Fuji Area Winter Sightseeing
\$24A/\$12C
Chiba Mother Farm and Strawberry Picking
\$40A/\$26C

March 21

New Sanno Sunday Brunch and Odaiba
Entertainment and Shopping District
\$34A/\$17C
Tokyo Sightseeing
\$27A/\$23J/\$13C
Yunessun Hot Spring
\$36A/\$18C

March 27

Fuji Area Winter Sightseeing
\$24A/\$12C
Kamogawa Sea World in Chiba
\$44A/\$22C

March 28

Nishi Izu Marine Cave Cruise, Toi Gold Mine and Orchid Village
\$50A/\$45J/\$20C
Glass Blowing and Kubota Ichiku Kimono Museum
\$65A/\$40C



Single Sailor "Liberty" Program

Tours

Yunessun Hot Spring

February 14 from 0630 to 2000

We will take you to the picturesque city of Hakone. Lying at the foot of Mt. Fuji, Hakone covers an area of spectacular beauty forming the Fuji-Hakone National Park. Yunessun is located in the park, and has 21 different kinds of Japanese baths, saunas, indoor hot spring pools, and massage rooms. Take a break from your daily grind and let us help you have a relaxing time in Hakone. Bathing suits are required.

\$35.00 per person includes transportation and admission fees

Single Sailor Ski/Snowboard Tours 2004

Jyoetsu Kokusai One-day Tour

February 28

Naeba One-day Tour

March 6

Sign up by March 2

Maiko Korakuen One-day Tour

March 13

Sign up by March 9

\$60.00 per person includes transportation and lift tickets.
(Ski gear is not included in the price.)

Note...

*The Liberty Program is for active duty single sailors/geographical bachelor members only.

*All tours are run on a first come first served basis. No phone call reservations are accepted.

*Tour tickets are non-transferable.

*All times are approximate due to traffic.

Single Sailor "Liberty" Program

Sapporo Snow Festival

Enjoy the beautiful Ice Festival in Sapporo!

Experience Japanese culture in the beautiful snow city of Sapporo. The annual Snow Festival consists of a contest of ice sculptures created by artists from around the world.

Call 243-5613 for more information.

February 6-8, 2004

New Orleans Mardi Gras Spectacular!



February 14 at 1300
Beads, prizes, food, games & more!

Celebrate Black History Month!

Allen Iverson Basketball Shooting Contest

February 4 at 1900 in the Fleet Rec Gym
Sign-up at the Spectrum Center only!

Tupac Shakur Poetry Night Contest

February 11 at 1900 in the Spectrum Center

Night at the Apollo!

February 18 at 1900 in the Spectrum Center

Black Movie Film Festival

February 25

Movies running from open till close. Food will be served starting at 1800.

For more details or to sign up for any event, visit SPECTRUM.

February 2 at 0600 Spectrum Lounge

Spectrum Superbowl Party

Join us for an early morning breakfast buffet, trivia contests, prizes, raffles and more!

Outdoor Recreation

Day Hike

Iyogatake & Tomisan, Chiba Prefecture (Beginner/Intermediate)

February 8 from 0545 to 1800

We'll hike two mountains on the Boso Peninsula, on the opposite side of Tokyo Bay from Yokosuka. We'll start by hiking Iyogatake, which has a great view from its twin needle peaks. After lunch, we move to Tomisan, which also has twin peaks but only provides a view from the north one. If the weather is clear, we will see Miura Peninsula (where Yokosuka is), Izu Peninsula, and Mt. Fuji over the water. Total hiking time is approximately 5 hours.

\$30.00 per person

Kinuhariyama, Zushi-Kamakura, Kanagawa Prefecture (Beginner)

February 29 from 0845 to 1500

We will start our hike near Nagoe Kiri-doshi, which used to be one of the important entrances for the ancient capital, Kamakura, about 800 years ago. We'll take the ridge trail to the Kinuhariyama, for a spectacular view of Kamakura City, Sagami Bay, and Mt. Fuji. There, we will explore the cave where stone was cut for the building of temples. After lunch, we'll hike down and visit Houkokuji (Bamboo) Temple. Then we'll hike back towards Zushi and finish the hike at the legendary temple, Hoshoji.

\$15.00 per person

Overnight Hike

Izu Oshima Island, Tokyo Prefecture (Beginner)

February 14 - 15 from 0700 (14th) to 1800 (15th)

Oshima is an inhabited island off Izu, it's the biggest of Izu's seven islands. Day 1, we will hike up the volcano, which last erupted only 17 years ago! You will feel as if you are on the moon as you walk through the volcanic desert. Day 2, we will walk along the coast enjoying the beautiful view of the ocean. The trip includes boat fare and lodging with 3 meals. Oshima's Tsubaki Matsuri (Camellia Festival) is on during this time.

\$160.00 per person

Rock Climbing

Jogasaki Sea Shore, Izu Peninsula, Shizuoka Prefecture (Beginner, 5.7 to 5.10)

February 22 from 0445 to 1900

Jogasaki, on the east side of Izu peninsula, is known for its mild temperatures even in the middle of winter, and is a very popular spot with free climbers. Enjoy climbing the beautiful cliffs while taking in the spectacular view of the ocean. This volcanic rock provides a different style of rock climbing.

\$40.00 per person

Takatori-yama, Oppama (5.6 to 5.10)

March 7 from 0845 to 1800

Want to try climbing, but don't want the long drive? Let ORC teach you! Experienced guides will take you to Takatori-yama, which is only 30 minutes from Yokosuka. The faces you will climb are perfect for any skill level, from beginners to advanced climbers. The ORC will teach you basic rock climbing skills and you may get a chance to try rappelling.

\$20.00 per person



One-Day Ski Trips

Maiko Korakuen - Shiozawa, Niigata Prefecture

February 7 from 0245 to 2345

This local resort offers wonderful powder and a fun snowboard park for the family. Powder hounds can find powder amongst the trees. This resort is the other (north) side of Iwappara.

\$40.00 per person (transportation only)

\$55.00 per person (transportation and ski or snowboard set)

(¥4,200 lift ticket not included)

Naeba - Yuzawa, Niigata Prefecture

February 14 from 0245 to 2300

Naeba is a large, very famous resort with great snow, a huge variety of courses and an efficient lift system, complete with 2 gondolas and 9 high speed quads that service 28 courses. Snowboarders are allowed on all courses. The "Asagai" area of the resort is especially popular with boarders and home to a half pipe, quarter pipe, straight jump and more.

\$40.00 per person (transportation only)

\$55.00 per person (transportation and ski or snowboard set)

(¥5,000 lift ticket not included)

Kandatsu - Yuzawa, Niigata Prefecture

February 21 from 0245 to 2300

This popular, "cool" resort is best suited to challenge the mogul lovers. The resort offers a good selection of runs for all but beginners, who might feel confined to the one main straight slope down to the bottom of the hill. There are some tough runs at Kandatsu, with the main ones being the "Super Orion", a 45-degree slope with large moguls. Snowboarders are allowed on all slopes with "Castol" being the most popular choice.

\$40.00 per person (transportation only)

\$55.00 per person (transportation and ski or snowboard set)

(¥4,600 lift ticket not included)

Ishiuchi Maruyama - Shiozawa, Niigata Prefecture

February 28 from 0245 to 2300

With 31 courses and 33 lifts, this is a large resort. Add an extra ¥500 to the lift ticket price to gain access to GALA Yuzawa and Yuzawa Kogen. Hot mogul runs for the "mogul-hounds" are "Mogul Run" and "Giant". Snowboarding is allowed on all slopes, with facilities and snowboard parks in various locations around the resort.

\$40.00 per person (transportation only)

\$55.00 per person (transportation and ski or snowboard set)

(¥4,200 lift ticket not included)

Hakuba Goryu & 47 - Hakuba, Nagano Prefecture

March 6 from 0145 to 2345

Looking for value? Get two good all around resorts for the price of one! Hakuba Goryu offers 926m of vertical drop with 16 courses serviced by 13 lifts, while Hakuba 47 offers 800m of vertical drop with seven courses serviced by six lifts. Each has a snowboard park with half pipe, quarter pipe, table-top, and wave.

\$40.00 per person (transportation only)

\$55.00 per person (transportation and ski or snowboard set)

(¥4,500 lift ticket not included)

Overnight Ski Trips

Happo-one - Nagano Prefecture

February 15 - 16 from 0245 to 2345

Happo-one was the main venue during the Nagano Olympics, and has a large variety of courses to choose from. All facilities are world class. The view from the top is amazing and a must see for all visitors. Trip includes transportation, 2-day lift ticket, dinner & breakfast, lodging (2 per western style room). Skis and snowboards available upon sign-up at the Outdoor Recreation Center.

\$200.00 per adult (12yrs & older) or \$230.00 per adult (includes ski or snowboard rental package)

\$174.00 per child (up to 11 yrs old) or \$187.00 per child

(includes ski or snowboard rental package)

Naeba, Yuzawa, Niigata Prefecture

March 13 - 14 from 0345 to 2300

Naeba is a skier's and snowboarder's paradise, with great snow and long runs. Try Tashiro's powder snow using Dra-Gondola (5.5km), one of the longest gondolas in the world. Walk out of the Prince Hotel and ski, its that simple with the lifts and gondola right outside the hotel. Night skiing is available, as well as a large and delicious variety of restaurants for dinner. A perfect skiing weekend! Trip includes transportation, 2-day lift ticket, dinner & breakfast, lodging (2 per western style room). Ski and snowboard rental not included, but available at the Outdoor Recreation Center. Sign-up deadline is February 27.

\$184.00 per adult (12yrs & older) or \$214.00 per adult (includes ski or snowboard rental package)

\$142.00 per child (up to 11 yrs old) or \$155.00 per child

(includes ski or snowboard rental package)

LOOKING FOR INFORMATION? Are you looking for places to go biking, camping, hiking, skiing, or surfing? Then stop by the Outdoor Recreation Center and we will provide you with information on areas to see and things to do while enjoying the outdoors. We have information on areas in Izu Peninsula, Hakone, Sagami Bay, Boso Peninsula, Fuji Five Lakes, Tanzawa-Oyama Quasi-National Park, Meiji-no-mori-Takao Quasi-National Park, and southern part of Chichibu-Tama National Park.

Outdoor Gear Issue

February Special

Be my Valentine at Outdoor Gear Issue! From February 12 - 17, every couple that comes in will receive half price rentals on ski and snowboard clothing! So Mom, bring in Dad, or guys bring in that special gal, and you can rent your ski clothing for half price.

Starting in February

Every month, the Outdoor Recreation Center/Outdoor Gear Issue will have door prize drawings! Every customer that comes through the door gets a chance at the prize of the month! No purchase or rental required. Prizes will be either an outdoor recreational style item, or a gift certificate for use at the Outdoor Recreation Center.

Rental Equipment

Includes snowboards, skis, jackets and pants, backpacks, daypacks, sleeping bags, tents, tarps, stoves and other accessories. Come in today to check out our low rental rates!



Bicycle Maintenance and Repair Services

The Outdoor Recreation Center has all the tools needed to take care of your major or minor bicycle repair problems. Come in and get a free estimate to get your bicycle repaired from our Certified Bicycle Technician.

Wellness Center

Winter Mini Aerobathon

February 7 at 0900 in the Fleet Recreation Building (5th floor)
Open to anyone ages 18 and up.
Free

Be My Valentine 3K Run

February 13 at 1130 at Thew Gym
Open to anyone ages 5 and up. This event is free, however, for those who want a t-shirt the cost is \$5.00 and you must sign-up by January 30. Refreshments and certificates will be given at the end of the race. Please sign up at Thew Gym, for more information please call the Wellness Center at 241-4486.

Black History Month 5K

February 25 at 1130 at Thew Gym
Open to anyone ages 5 and up. This event is free, however, for those who want a t-shirt the cost is \$5.00 and you must sign-up by February 11. Refreshments and certificates will be given at the end of the race. Please sign up at Thew Gym, for more information please call the Wellness Center at 241-4486.

Negishi Family Aerobic Event

February 27 at 1700
The event will be at Negishi Gym, however, you need to sign up at Negishi Fitness Center. The cost is \$1.00 per person. All activities are designed for ages 5 and up. To receive a t-shirt you must sign up by February 13. There will be door prizes raffled (one ticket per family) and food for all who show up. To sign up, call Negishi Fitness at 242-4124. For more information please call the Wellness Center at 241-4486.

Adult Sports



Varsity Men's & Women's Soccer

Tryouts are Saturday, February 14 at 1000. Play Begins March 6 on Thew Gym's Main Soccer Field. Games are played every Saturday or Sunday from March - June.

Intramural Over 35 Basketball League

Play begins February 17 at 1730 in Thew Gym
Register by February 11 at 1730 in the Thew Gym Office.

Captain's Cup Men's & Women's 5K Run

February 27 at 1130 at Thew Gym
Register by February 27 at 1100
Runners meeting will be February 27 at 1115 in the Thew Gym Sports Office. Divisions are 18 - 34, Open and 35+ Senior.

International Programs



The International Office will translate your English Valentine's card to Japanese for active duty members who have a Japanese girl friend or boy friend.
Free

President's Day International Boat Fishing Tourney

February 16
0515 Muster all fishermen in front of Fleet Recreation Center
0530 MWR bus/van departs
0600 Underway
0700 Tournament begins
1200 Tournament concludes
1300 Award ceremony / Depart to Yokosuka
*Tournament may extend until 1500 depending on the fishing results

Earth Day Part 20 (Off & On base)

February 8
0900 Muster all base volunteers in front of Fleet Recreation Center
0915 MWR bus departs to Yokosuka Chuo by the Tokyo Gas Co.
0930 Muster all JN and U.S. volunteers in front of Tokyo Gas Co.
0945 Start cleaning by 4 different groups
A Group Chuo Street 1
B Group Chuo Street 2
C Group Sennichi Street
D Group Kouen Street
1100 Dump all off base trash at the designated area before entering Mikasa Park Gate
1115 Start cleaning on base from McDonald's area to Berkey Field area
1200 International appreciation BBQ and award ceremony behind Thew Gym
1300 MWR bus departs to Fleet Recreation Center

Skateland

Valentine's Day Skate

February 14 from 1000 to 1900
First 50 paid admissions wearing red will get free candy!

President's Day "No School" Skates

February 16 from 1000 to 1900
Roller skate rental is free for all kids!

Green Bay Marina

Boat Rentals

Type of Boat	Hourly Rate	3-Hr Rate	Daily Max	Capacity
Rowboat	\$3	\$8	\$21	2
Kayak	\$5	\$5	\$5	1
JY-15'	\$5	\$14	\$37	2
Capri 16.5'	\$6	\$17	\$45	4
Sm. Motorboat	\$7	\$20	\$44	4
Lg. Motorboat	\$15	\$40	\$75	6
Catalina 22'	\$10	\$27	\$61	6

Chartroom Rental (above McDonald's)

The Chartroom is available for rental for official functions only. Some restrictions apply.
\$100.00 rental fee + \$100.00 cleaning deposit

Aquatics

Seaside Pool Operating Hours

Monday through Friday	
Early Lap Swimming	0530 to 0730
Command Reservation	0730 to 1100
Lunch Lap Swim	1100 to 1300
Recreational Swim	1300 to 1500
Seahawks Swim Practice	1500 to 1700

Tuesday and Thursday	
Aqua Aerobics	1300 to 1400

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday	
Lap Swim	1700 to 1900

Wednesday	
Lap Swim	1700 to 1800
Master's Swim Team	1800 to 1900

Saturday	
Recreational Swim	1200 to 1900
Swim Lessons	0900 to 1200

Sunday	
Recreational Swim	1100 to 1900

Be My Valentine Pool Party

Join us at Seaside Pool for a Valentine's Day Pool Party from 1200 to 1700. Enjoy games, food and family fun.

Year Round Swim Lessons

MWR Aquatics offers year-round swim lessons on Saturday mornings at Seaside Pool. The lessons are taught by certified American Red Cross instructors, and are offered for all ability and age levels. The next session begins February 14. Sign up at Thew Gym starting February 9. For more information, call 243-6410.
\$30.00 per person

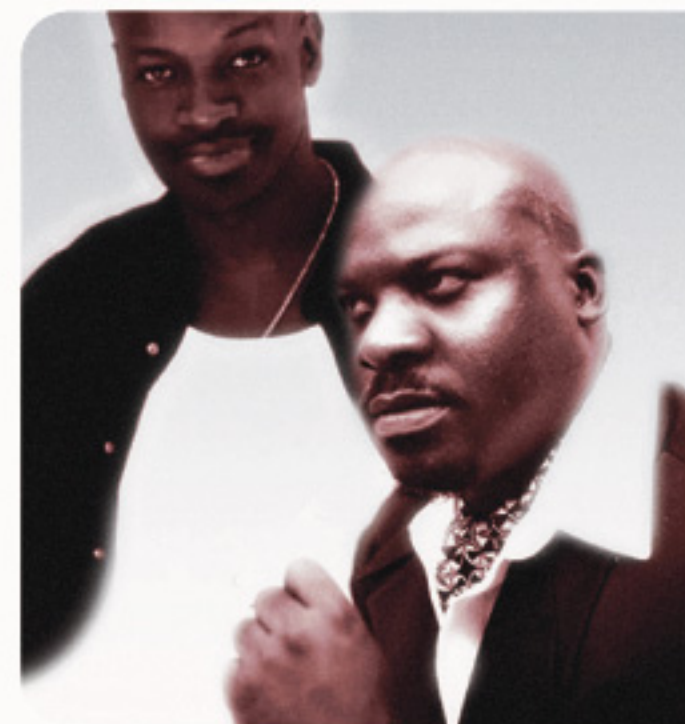
Freezing the Bering Strait

Swim the distance of the Bering Strait, from Alaska to Russia. The Bering Strait is actually 130 miles long, but participants will be awarded 5 miles for every mile they swim. Therefore, swimmers will actually swim 26 miles to complete the challenge. There will be prizes awarded to participants who finish. Sign up at Seaside Pool.
Ends February 29

Pool Information Hotline

Get up-to-date information on upcoming programs, pool hours, and pool closures 24 hours a day 7 days a week by calling 243-5229.

Entertainment



Japan Jams Comedians

February 26 at 1900, Sharky's All Hands Brewery
Featuring Al Toomer and Yoursie. May contain language that some may find offensive.

African-American Heritage Month

Concert featuring ISYSS

February 21 at 1900 in the Fleet Theater
This urban vocal quartet is forged from the same musical mould as En Vogue, TLC and Destiny's Child. The group, whose name is an abbreviation for *Intelligent Sexy Young Soul Sisters*, was formed by Quierra Davis-Martin, LaTiecia Harrison, La'Myla Good and Ardena Clark, all of whom were still in their teens at the time of their debut album's 2002 release. Isyss' debut, *The Way We Do It*, boasted production credits by Kevin "Shekspere" Briggs, Tyrice Jones (Ruff Riders) and even Moss himself, among others. The album's lead-off single, "Day and Night" featured rapper Jadakiss and received plenty of airplay on US radio immediately upon its release.

2004 Athletics Calendar

The 2004 Athletics Calendar is now available. Visit your nearest MWR Athletics facility and pick up a copy!

Main Child Development Center

Parent Advisory Board Meeting (Chapel of Hope)
February 10 at 1500

Saturday Special Opening
February 14 from 1700 to 2400

Ikego CDC

Valentines Day Luncheon
February 13 from 1100 to 1200

Saturday Special Opening
February 28 from 1700 to 2400

Negishi CDC

Valentine Lunch
February 13 at 1100

Saturday Special Opening
February 21 from 1800 to 2400

Hourly CDC

Black History Month Celebration
February 13 from 1430 to 1530

Parent's Day Out

February 7 from 1000 to 1400



Would you like to go shopping alone but can't find a sitter? Have some errands to run but don't want to drag the kids around with you? The Ikego Youth Center will have activities, games and a light snack for your kids to enjoy while you're out.

Call Ikego's Open Rec Programs Office at 246-8301 for more info.

Ages 5 to 9. \$5.00

Yokosuka Facilities

Auto Hobby Shop 243-5456
Monday to Saturday 1000 to 2200
Sunday 1000 to 1800

Aquatics 243-6410
Aquatics Hotline 243-5229
BOQ Pool 243-6830
Closed for the season

Green Beach Pool 243-6410
Closed for the season

Officers' Club Pool 243-5941
Closed for the season

Seaside Pool 243-5620
Monday to Friday 0530 to 1900

Bowling Center 243-4200/5158
Sunday to Thursday 0900 to 2300
Friday & Saturday 0900 to 0100

Child Development Centers
CD Homes 243-5478
Monday to Friday 0700 to 1700

Main CDC 243-3219
Monday to Friday 0615 to 1800

Hourly CDC 241-4101
Monday to Friday 0700 to 1700

Community Center 241-4110
Monday to Friday 0800 to 2000
Saturday 0900 to 1600
Sunday & Holidays CLOSED

Entertainment Office 243-5215
Monday to Friday 0730 to 1630

Fleet Gym
Monday to Sunday 24 hours
Fleet Gym Office 243-5304
Monday to Friday 0700 to 1600

Green Bay Marina 243-4155
Friday to Monday 0800 to 1700

Hobby Mart 243-5040
Monday to Sunday 0900 to 1700

International Programs Office 243-4731
Monday to Friday 0700 to 1600

ITT 243-5613/7257
Monday to Friday 0900 to 1800
Saturday 0900 to 1300

Library 243-5574
Monday to Friday 0830 to 2030
Saturday & Sunday 1130 to 2030
Holidays 0830 to 1730

Benny Decker & Fleet Theaters
Movie Hotline 243-6703

Outdoor Rec Center 243-5732
Saturday to Wednesday 0900 to 1800
Thursday to Friday 1000 to 1900

School Age Care 243-5492
Monday to Friday 0615 to 1800

Single Sailor Program (Tours) 243-7284
Monday to Friday 0730 to 1630

Spectrum Lounge 243-7346
Monday to Sunday 0730 to 2400

Skateland 243-7539
Monday to Sunday 1200 to 2100

Teen Center 243-5542
Monday to Thursday 1400 to 2000

Friday 1400 to 2200
Saturday 1200 to 2200

Thew Gym 243-5398
Monday to Sunday 0530 to 2200

Wellness Center 241-4486
Monday to Friday 0900 to 1500

Wood Hobby Shop 243-9064
Monday to Thursday 0930 to 2100
Friday 1700 to 2100

Saturday, Sunday & Holidays 0900 to 1730

Veterinary Clinic 243-6820
Monday to Friday 0800 to 1600
Tuesday & Thursday (surgery) 0730 to 1600

Clubs & Dining

Club Alliance 243-5951
Sharky's Beverage Company
Sunday to Thursday 1500 to 0030

Friday, Saturday & Day before a Holiday 1500 to 0230

Sharky's BBQ
Monday to Saturday 1600 to 2200
Sunday CLOSED

2nd Floor Cashier Cage
Sunday to Thursday 1100 to 2400

Friday, Saturday & Day before a Holiday 1100 to 0130

Italian Gardens
Lunch Monday to Saturday 1100 to 1400
Dinner Monday to Sunday 1700 to 2100

The Café
Sunday to Thursday 1100 to 2400
Friday, Saturday & Day before a Holiday 1100 to 0130

Upper Deck Sports Bar
Sunday to Thursday 1100 to 0030

Friday, Saturday & Day before a Holiday 1100 to 0230

Lighthouse Lounge
Friday to Saturday 2000 to 0100

CPO Club 243-5506
Dining Room
Monday to Friday 1100 to 1330
Lunch 1700 to 2100
Dinner 1700 to 2100

Saturday, Sunday & Holidays 1000 to 1330
Dinner 1700 to 2100

Cruise Inn
Monday to Friday 0600 to 1400

Cove Bar
Monday to Thursday 1100 to 2400
Friday 1100 to 0100
Saturday 1000 to 0030
Sunday 1000 to 2400

MWR Food Court 243-3245
Mean Gene's Burgers
Breakfast 0600 to 1000
Regular Menu 1000 to 2200

Smash Hit Subs
Monday to Sunday 1000 to 0530

Hot Stuff Pizza/Cinnamon St.
Monday to Friday 1100 to 2100

Officers' Club 243-5030
Kosano Dining Room
Sunday Brunch 0900 to 1330

Lunch Monday to Friday 1100 to 1330
Saturday & Holidays CLOSED

Dinner
Monday to Saturday 1700 to 2100
Sunday and Holidays 1700 to 2000

Warehouse Dining Room
Lunch Monday to Saturday 1100 to 1330
Sunday and Holidays CLOSED

Dinner
Monday to Saturday 1700 to 2100
Sunday and Holidays CLOSED

Le Flaire Café
Monday to Friday 0630 to 1630
Saturday 0630 to 1630
Sunday & Holidays CLOSED

Le Flaire Bar
Monday to Saturday 1630 to 2300
Sunday & Holiday CLOSED

Kurofune Lounge
Monday to Thursday 1500 to 2300
Friday & Saturday 1300 to 0100
Sunday & Holidays 1300 to 2300

Deli and Bakery
Monday to Thursday 0600 to 1900
Friday & Saturday 0600 to 2100
Sunday 1000 to 2000
Holidays 1000 to 1900

Game Rooms (Main Side)
Monday to Friday 0630 to 2300
Saturday, Sunday & Holidays 0900 to 2300

Game Room (Warehouse)
Monday to Saturday 1100 to 2300
Sunday and Holiday CLOSED

Cashier (Main Side)
Monday to Friday 0630 to 2300
Saturday, Sunday & Holidays 0600 to 2300

Seaside Club 243-3379/5625
Dining Room
Monday to Saturday 0600 to 1000
Lunch 1100 to 1500
Dinner 1700 to 2100

Sunday Breakfast 0600 to 0830
Brunch 0930 to 1400
Dinner 1700 to 2100

Barnacle Bill's Lounge
Sunday to Thursday 1100 to 2300
Friday & Saturday 1100 to 2400

Deli
Sunday to Thursday 0600 to 2100
Friday & Saturday 0600 to 2200

Ikego Facilities

Ikego MWR Office 246-8071
Monday to Friday 1000 to 1830

Club Takemiya 246-8075/8077
Dining Room
Monday to Saturday 1100 to 1330
1700 to 2100
Sunday 1000 to 1330
1700 to 2100

Lounge
Monday to Thursday 1600 to 2300
Friday & Saturday 1600 to 0200
Sunday 1600 to 2200

Delivery Service to Ikego Housing
Monday to Saturday 1700 to 2030

Ikego CDC 246-8060
Monday to Friday 0600 to 1800

Ikego Sports 246-8017
Wednesday to Sunday 0800 to 1700

Ikego Pool
Closed for the season

Ikego School
Age Care 246-8301
Monday to Friday 0600 to 1800

Ikego Teen Center 246-8301
Monday to Friday 1800 to 2100
Saturday 1200 to 2200

Negishi Facilities

Negishi MWR Office 242-4120
Monday to Friday 0900 to 1700
Saturday 0900 to 1200

Negishi Bowling Center 242-4123
Tuesday to Thursday 1500 to 2100
Friday 1500 to 2200
Saturday 1200 to 2200
Sunday & Holidays 1200 to 2000

Negishi CDC 242-4316
Monday to Friday 0600 to 1800

Negishi Club 242-4151
Monday to Thursday 1100 to 2300
Friday 1100 to 0200
Saturday 0900 to 0200
Sunday & Holidays 0900 to 2200

Dining Room
Monday to Thursday 1100 to 1400
Dinner 1700 to 2000

Friday Lunch 1100 to 1400
Dinner 1700 to 2100

Saturday Breakfast 0900 to 1100
Lunch 1100 to 1600
Dinner 1700 to 2100

Sunday Breakfast 0900 to 1100
Brunch 0900 to 1400
Lunch 1100 to 1600
Dinner 1600 to 2000

Lounge
Monday to Thursday 1100 to 2230
Friday & Saturday 1100 to 0130
Sunday & Holidays 1100 to 2130

Negishi Fitness Center 242-4124
Monday to Sunday 0400 to 2200

Negishi Pool 242-4844
Closed for the season

Negishi School
Age Care 242-4131
Monday to Friday 0600 to 1800

Negishi Teen Center 242-4121
Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 1600 to 2000
Friday 1600 to 2200
Saturday 1200 to 2200

New! Soft Playroom!

The new Soft Play area for children 4 and under is now open in the Thew Gym raquetball courts. The play area is open during regular gym hours and is 100% parent-supervised.

Please call Thew Gym at 243-5398 for details.

1920

• Black writers and artists in Harlem led a new movement in literature, theatre, and jazz.

1930

• Langston Hughes publishes *Not Without Laughter*.

1935

• First automatic refrigeration system for long-haul trucks, invented by Fredrick McKinley Jones.

1936

• Jessie Owens wins 4 gold medals at the Berlin Olympics.

1940

1946

• Sugar Ray Robinson becomes world welterweight boxing champion.

1947

• Jackie Robinson breaks major league baseball's color line.

1950

1954

• *Brown v. Board of Education of Topeka, Kansas*.

1955

• Rosa Parks refuses to give up her seat at the front of the bus to a white passenger.

1956

• The Montgomery bus boycott results in desegregation of buses.

1957

• Southern Christian Leadership Conference established.
• Nine black students are blocked from entering a desegregated Little Rock school. President Eisenhower sends federal troops and the National Guard to intervene on behalf of the students.

1960

• Four black students begin a sit-in at a segregated Woolworth's lunch counter.
• The Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee (SNCC) is founded at Shaw University.

1963

• Mississippi's NAACP field secretary Medgar Evers is murdered outside his home.
• Reverend King delivers his "I Have a Dream" speech.
• Four young girls attending Sunday school are killed when a bomb explodes at the 16th St. Baptist Church.
• Sydney Poitier wins an Oscar for *Lilies of the Field*.

1964

• President Johnson signs the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

1965

• Malcolm X is shot to death in Harlem.
• "Bloody Sunday" in Montgomery, Alabama.
• Congress passes the Voting Rights Act of 1965.

1967

• Thurgood Marshall appointed as first Black Justice to the Supreme Court.
• Muhammed Ali stripped of heavyweight title after conviction for refusing induction into U.S. Army.

1968

• Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr. shot as he stands on the balcony outside his hotel room.
• President Johnson signs the Civil Rights Act of 1968.

1970

1974

• Henry "Hank" Aaron breaks Babe Ruth's lifetime mark of 714 home runs.

1980

1988

• Congress passes the Civil Rights Restoration Act.
• Painter Jean-Michel Basquiat dies.

1990

1991

• President Bush signs the Civil Rights Act of 1991.

2003

• Supreme Court upholds Affirmative Action.

Celebrate Black History Month with MWR



Negishi's 1st Annual
Black History Month Celebration

February 21 from 1900 to 2100

See our ad on page 10, and check the rest of this issue for
other Black History Month events.